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Over 40 Names to Go on Ballot

More Enter School Board, B. P. W., Board of Health Contests

Political activity let down somewhat this week, but enough additional candidates took out papers to bring the total number of names on the ballot well over 45. No new names were entered in the already crowded tax collector's race, but there were indications that there would be several other fights of importance.

It was expected that the tree warden's race would see only one or two candidates this year, but at present there are three in it, with a pretty strong rumor circulating that Thomas D. Taylor of Shawsheen village would enter the contest. G. Richard Abbott, present warden, is up for re-election, and the presence of former warden Ralph T. Berry in the field makes the outcome very problematical. Thomas Morrissey is also a contestant.

The school committee race had three new entrants since the Townsman last went to press. Winthrop R. Newman on Friday took out his papers for the three-year term, and on Monday Mrs. Katharine Baldwin, wife of Phillips academy's minister, Rev. A. Graham Baldwin, took out her papers. Later in the day Stafford A. Lindsay, a previous candidate for the board, took out his papers for the same term. Dr. Harry C. East, and present members Frederick C. Smith and Miss Mary Geagan had taken out papers the preceding week for this term. The main fight will come for the third position, left vacant by the retirement of Mrs. Annie S. Angus who was first appointed to the board in 1933 to take the place of H. Gilbert Francke, resigned. Whether there will be any more candidates for this vacancy than Dr. East, Mrs. Baldwin, Mr. Newman and Mr. Lindsay is not known. Mrs. Baldwin's candidacy is being promoted by a group of local women who wish to have three women members on the nine-member board. Mrs. Baldwin has been prominent in the educational work of the League of Women Voters, being the Legislative Chairman of the Andover League at present and first vice president of the Massachusetts League. She has served three years on the Nursing Committee of the Red Cross and

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NEED RUBBERS AND SHOES

The local chapter of the Red Cross wishes to thank all those who responded so generously to last week's appeal for clothing for children. The chapter has also had many calls for adults' clothing and would be very grateful for any contributions left at the town house. There is a very heavy demand at present for shoes, overshoes and rubbers for both adults and children.

Pension Law to Cost Town \$12,000

The town employees' old age pension law, adopted by the town at the last state election, will cost the taxpayer nearly a dollar on the tax rate this year, the selectmen stated last night.

Over \$12,000 will have to be appropriated for this purpose, and this expenditure will continue for several years, gradually tapering off. The appropriation will be used to swell the general fund, the interest from which will be applied to the pension of those who have retired or will retire this year. The town employees are all contributing a percentage of their salary to the fund, and eventually it will be big enough to take care of all needs. However, the employees who retired last year contributed but little to the fund, since the law did not go into effect until July 1, and it is this deficiency which the town must make up according to the law.

Holland Topic of Club Talk

On next Monday Stanley Osborne will be the speaker at the meeting of the November club. He will give an "Adventure Travelogue" on Holland and Holland's Colonial Empire: Sumatra, Java, Borneo and Bali. The talk will be accompanied by color and motion pictures.

HURT WHILE SLIDING

The condition of young Roger Dea, who was hurt while sliding, is reported improving. Roger, who is one of the twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dea of 28 Summer street, ran into a slowly moving automobile, while sliding down the driveway at his home last Saturday afternoon. He received numerous bruises and a slight concussion of the brain, but x-ray developments showed no broken bones.

Clan to Honor Immortal Bard

The local Clan has formed plans for its annual Bobby Burns concert to be held in the town hall Friday evening, January 28, to honor Scotland's immortal bard. Mrs. Charlotte H. Adams of Haverhill, Mrs. Clara Taylor of Lawrence, Selectman J. Everett Collins and Henry Fairweather of Andover will take part in an interesting group of Scottish selections.

The program follows: Quartet, "There Was a Lad Was Born in Kyle" by Burns, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Taylor, Mr. Fairweather and Mr. Collins; solo, "The Scottish Blue Bells" by Sillery, Mrs. Adams; solo, "The Lass O' Balochmyle" by Burns, Mr. Collins; solo, "Cam Ye by Athol" by Hogg, Mrs. Taylor; solo, "The Light Housekeeper" by Gordon, Mr. Fairweather; duet, "O Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast" by Burns, Mr. Fairweather; solo, "John Anderson, My Jo" by Burns, Mrs. Taylor; solo, "Scots Wha Hae" by Burns, Mr. Collins; solo, "O, Whistle and I'll Come Tae Ye, My Lad" by Burns, Mrs. Adams; duet, "The Crookit Bawbee" by Anderson, Mrs. Taylor and Mr. Fairweather; Auld Lang Syne. Miss Minnie Valentine will be the piano accompanist.

TENDERED SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was tendered Miss Doris Collins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Collins of 36 Summer street, at the home of Mrs. John Carey in Bradford last Friday night. It was the second shower in a row for Miss Collins, her Andover friends having tendered her one the evening before at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Pitman.

About 40 were present Friday night. A buffet luncheon was served and games were enjoyed. Miss Collins received many excellent gifts.

On January 30 Miss Collins will become the bride of Paul Carey of Bradford.

Circus Cast Promising in Rehearsal

The Andover Brass Band production of "The Circus," being presented at the Town Hall on January 25th and 26th, promises to be a smash hit. Already the principals, clowns, freaks and chorus girls are rehearsing their acts and their enthusiasm is unlimited. The majority of roles have been assigned to Andover's most popular young men and women and they have been attending daily rehearsals at the band hall under the direction of Miss Bartan Lowell.

The roles are being interpreted by the chosen actors with an ability that is almost professional and Miss Lowell, who has directed many Broadway actors and actresses, has stated that her cast for "The Circus" possesses much noticeable talent.

At present the cast has been announced as follows: William Deyermund will play the part of Bob Strong, owner of the circus and male lead. Opposite him Miss Constance Turnbull will play the part of Virginia, lovely young ingenue and

Bob's love interest in the play. Pete, the ticket taker, will be played by Howard Paulson, and Squeak, Bob Strong's best friend, will be played by Alton Porter. Tony, the Italian balloon man is being successfully portrayed by Charles Murray, whose dialect will provide many a laugh from the audience. Bobo, the clown is being filled by Robert Crosby. Bobo is very much in love with the ballet dancer, Toyo, played by Ruth Covell, who spurns all of his amorous advances. Mrs. Persus Crawford is cast in the role of Lady Van Mildew, the flighty English noble woman whose love scene with old Zacharius Peabody, played by Thomas Page, is one of the play's most hilarious moments. The rustic constable is enacted by Harry Dennison and the ringmaster will be played by that well-known Andover actor and director Herbert D. Stedman.

George Smith, musician in the Brass band will play Strongo the strong man

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Introduces Bill to Reroute Trucks

Andover Safety Committee Asks State Senator to Help Main Street Traffic

State senator Frank D. Babcock of this district is entering a bill in the legislature allowing the state department of public works the power of restricting truck traffic on certain streets, in accordance with a request made of him by the Andover highway safety committee. The power would be used where the department felt it in the public interest.

The safety committee has tried to restrict through truck traffic on Andover's Main street, but the state department said that it had no power to reroute truck traffic out the by-pass. The most it could do evidently was to erect a sign saying that the by-pass was the best route for truck traffic, at the junction of South Main and the by-pass. The great volume of truck traffic however continues to go down Main street.

As a last step the safety committee appealed to the state senator to get action on this bill at the current session of the General Court.

The committee: Judge Frederic N. Chandler, Henry S. Hopper, and J. Augustus Remington.

Postpone Concert of Folk Singers

The concert scheduled for Phillips Academy, Andover, for next Sunday, by the American Folk Singers of the Federal Music Project has been postponed until the following Sunday, January 30.

This is one of a series of four by various units of the Federal Music Project in Massachusetts. The first two were the oratorio, "St. Paul" by the State Chorus and Commonwealth Symphony Orchestra, and the Madrigal Singers.

This series is proving highly successful with an unusual amount of interest being evinced by the student body of the academy. The concerts are being held in Cochran Chapel.

FINED \$75

Found guilty of operating under the influence and operating to endanger, Andre Arsenault of North Andover, was fined \$75 in District court Monday morning. He was involved in a crash in Shawsheen village on January 8.

Dr. Raymond W. Boyd, osteopathic physician, announces that he will maintain offices on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 36 Elm street, Andover. Tel. And. 1545.

This Sober Town

Chats About You and Us
and the
Other Folks Here in Andover

P.A. Bread Line

A week ago Saturday morning one of our local merchants was pretty well convinced that there is no recession, judging from the number of customers at his store. Or maybe he was convinced that the recession was getting worse, for all of the customers were of the bread-line type.

Early in the morning the horde started to descend on him, asking for free meals. Some even ordered and ate the meals, and were indignant when he asked for payment.

It seems that some prankster sent around to a large number of Phillips academy students an authentic-looking card, explaining that the first students at the shop the next morning would get free refreshments!

MEETINGS NEXT WEEK

Monday, Knights of Pythias; Tuesday, Grange, C.D.A.; Wednesday, Odd Fellows, V.F.W. auxiliary, British W.V. auxiliary; Thursday, Service Club, Legion auxiliary.

Getting to Be a Habit

Many Andover people are making it a Saturday evening custom to order home-baked beans or stop for a baked bean supper at

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Infant Mortality Subject of Lecture

At a well-attended meeting of the Andover League of Women Voters held Tuesday afternoon at the November Clubhouse, Dr. Florence L. McKay of the Massachusetts Public Health Department gave a comprehensive description of the activities of the department of Child Hygiene. Dr. McKay cited innumerable statistics to prove that this department was carrying on a very worthy work. She stated that in United States in 1935 every 14 seconds a baby was born, every seven minutes a baby died at birth, every eight minutes a baby died before it was one month old, every 16 minutes a baby died before it was one day old, every 37 minutes a mother died at child birth.

Particular emphasis is being placed in the rural districts, especially in towns having a population less than 10,000, to reduce the death rate of infants and mothers. This is accomplished by: first, educational talks to expectant mothers on prenatal care; second, an educational program on the care of new born infants and their mothers; third, providing hospitalization for premature infants.

The Child Welfare Department also conducts a Well Child Conference consisting of a dentist, physician, nurse and nutritionist.

It likewise conducts a School Age Group, which includes School Art health projects, High School Charm, Improved hearing and Habit training. There is, too, a Parent Education group, teaching the bringing up of children, a Post Graduate Education Course for nurses and physicians. This course for nurses is given at Simmons College, for physicians at Harvard Public Health School. A Public Health Nursing group is conducted by the Child Welfare Department. This group is very important to a community.

Two Study Groups are also conducted; first, Research Learning, dealing with the physical aspect of reading difficulties in schools and how to prevent them; second, Maternal Mortality Study, investigating deaths and helping to reduce mortality. Each death is investigated by an obstetrician.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Cleveland Gilcreast, chairman of the department of Government and Child Welfare. President Mrs. Harold R. Rafton presided.

Preceding Dr. McKay's talk, Mrs. Joseph Burns spoke on the Equal Rights Amendment. Mrs. Burns stated many arguments for and against it, emphasizing the course and the facts dealing with this amendment. Mrs. Horace Poynter spoke on the Revolving Fund. Explaining its purpose, each member may send fifty cents or one dollar to the State League. This money in reserve will help the league to carry on a more extensive program.

Mrs. A. G. Baldwin's next Legislative Committee meeting will be held February 15, at two p.m. at the November Clubhouse. Interested League members are invited to attend.

The report of Miss Chickering's study group on Government and Its Operation supports the Ramspeck Bill, opposes the McKellar Bill and also the Bacon Bill. Following the meeting tea was served by Mrs. Alexander Crockett and her committee.

Voters' Hour Tuesday

"Paroles" over Station WEEI Tuesday January 25, at 3:30 p.m. will be described by Walter C. Bell, executive secretary of the Division of Juvenile Training of the State Department of Public Welfare.

New Book Issued by Dr. Moorehead

"A Report of the Susquehanna Expedition, the latest book by Dr. Warren K. Moorehead, director of the Department of Archaeology at Phillips Academy, has recently been published by the Andover Press.

The expedition, in the nature of a reconnaissance of the entire valley of the Susquehanna river, was made in 1916, sponsored by the Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation of New York City, and directed by Dr. Moorehead. In addition to the field notes written by the director, articles are included on the "Classification of Aboriginal Cultures" by Roland B. Hill, "The Andaste" by Alanson B. Skinner, "Archaeology of the West Branch" by Thomas B. Stewart, "Petroglyphs Near Bald Friar" and "Shell-Heaps on Chesapeake Bay" by William B. Marye, all special-

ists in their several fields. Dr. Moorehead has also written a chapter of conclusions and comments on his own findings and those of the men associated with him.

The volume is illustrated with line cuts and plates as well as maps of interesting sites. A bibliography of the archaeology and history of the Susquehanna valley adds to its value for students of this area.



Warren K. Moorehead

Though more than twenty years have passed since the expedition, continued demands for the findings in printed form have led Dr. Moorehead to compile the available material, and many orders for the book were received even before the copy was in the hands of the printer.

Weekly Fire in Cellar Beams

Even if lightning doesn't strike twice in the same place, fire does. A week ago Wednesday the fire department answered a call from Box 651 to extinguish a fire in some big oak beams in the cellar of Albert Moore on Lowell street. One week later, the same alarm was rung, for a fire in the same house and the same beams. Both blazes were difficult to get at.

PHILLIPS ACADEMY LECTURE

In the Meeting Room of George Washington Hall, Phillips Academy, at 8:15 tonight Richard Lahey will paint a portrait from a living model, and throughout the entire demonstration provide a constant flow of interesting talk about the artist's methods and purposes, together with exciting reminiscences about American artists and their work. Mr. Lahey is one of the few artists who have great ability in lecturing as well as painting. There is no charge for admission.

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This is a real ball we'd guess, days shown at Stone's arm, was than a football with young Co ing, Henry Bar ver and Harry are Michael D

Foreign School

The Massachu Voters is sponsored consecutive year at Radcliffe conferences of international has established continuity with In 1937 people chusetts and This year's women of experience with to the grave disorder, untendencies in the world picture helpful to and women.

Tuesday, Foreign Policy Markets" by New England tion; 3:30 p.m. by George Export Department Manufacture "For International Harvey H. State Department Professor of College School Which World "trality" by Executive of League of Nations Security" Known for Nations As Campaign tion.

Tickets for tation arranged Barss, telephone \$2.50 to morning session 7:5 Those who attend one G. Baldwin Frederick Mrs. Harold Mrs. Alden Mr. and Mrs. Poynter a Wednesday sessions and

They Became Prominent Citizens



This is a real old-time ball team, football we'd guess, although the ball in those days shown above nestling in Colver J. Stone's arm, was a good deal more buxom than a football is today. In the back row with young Colver are Manning Downing, Henry Barnard, Lucien Heath, Colver and Harry Lowe. In the center row are Michael Driscoll and John V. Holt.

The front row starts with a youngster that made quite a name for himself in football and has since devoted his energies to building junior high schools, Memorial auditoriums, etc. It's Perley F. Gilbert, and with him in the front row are Edwin Moody, Antoine Saunders and Charles Smith way down in the corner.

Foreign Affairs School Next Week

The Massachusetts League of Women Voters is sponsoring for the sixteenth consecutive year a Foreign Affairs school at Radcliffe College. Among the many conferences and institutes for the study of international relationships this school has established a record of success and continuity which gives it a unique place. In 1937 people from 58 towns in Massachusetts and seven other states attended. This year's speakers will be men and women of recognized authority and experience with well chosen topics. Owing to the grave conditions of international disorder, undeclared wars, aggressive tendencies in national policies dominating the world picture, the program is especially helpful to future thinking for our men and women. It follows:

Tuesday, January 25—United States Foreign Policy; 2:30 p.m., "For Home Markets" by James H. Stone, secretary of New England Shoe and Leather Association; 3:30 p.m., "For Foreign Trade" by George F. Bauer, Manager of the Export Department of the Automobile Manufacturers Association; 3:30 p.m.—"For International Relations," by Alvin Harvey Hansen, Economist of note and State Department Consultant, Littauer Professor of Political Economy Harvard College School of Public Administration.

Which Way Peace?—8:00 p.m., "Neutrality" by Dorothy Detzer—National Executive of the Women's International League of Peace and Freedom; "Collective Security" by Clark M. Eichelberger—Known for his work for the League of Nations Association and Director of the Campaign for World Economic Cooperation.

Tickets may be obtained and transportation arranged by calling Mrs. John S. Barss, telephone 1448-M. Course tickets \$2.50 to members, \$3.00 to others; single session 75 cents each.

Those who have already made plans to attend one or more sessions are: Mrs. A. G. Baldwin, Mrs. John S. Barss, Mrs. Frederick Butler, Mrs. C. C. Kimball, Mrs. Harold Rafton, Mrs. H. G. Tyer, Mrs. Alden Nute, Miss Reta Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taft, Mrs. Horace Poynter and Mrs. Wallace Brimer.

Wednesday, January 26—Aims, Aspirations and Methods of the "Have Not"

Countries. 10:30 a.m. Germany—Colonial Expansion or the Drang nach Osten? by Frederick L. Schuman, Professor of Government, Williams College; 11:30 a.m. Italy and the Mediterranean—Lybia, Ethiopia, Spain by Vera Micheles Dean, Radcliffe College, editor of the Foreign Policy Bulletin; 2:30 p.m., Japan—Expansion on the Asiatic Mainland or International Trade? by T. S. Miyakawa, Editor of the "Japan Times and Mail"; 3:30 p.m. States With Neither Colonies Not Great Natural Resources—Internal Economy and International Trade of Denmark, Finland, Norway by H. B. Elliston, Financial editor of the "Christian Science Monitor"; 8:00 p.m. Crisis in China—Ch'ao-Ting Chi, Lecturer of Social Research School, Nankai University, Tientsin; Arthur N. Holcombe, Professor of Government at Harvard.

Thursday, January 27—International Orientations, Understandings and Alliances—10:30 a.m.—Rome-Berlin and Tokyo; London-Paris and the Little Entente; 11:30 a.m.—The Vatican and the International Problems of To-Day by George La Piana, Professor of Church History at Harvard; author of several books; 2:30 p.m. America's Role in the New Era by Bruce C. Hopper, associate professor of government at Harvard.

Found Guilty on Insurance Charge

Edward Desilets of Vermont pleaded guilty to two charges and not guilty to another, but was fined \$100 on the charges he pleaded not guilty to and the other two charges were filed in District court last Friday morning. Desilets, operating a car with Vermont registration plates, crashed into the rear of a truck on South Main street last week and though the car was a total wreck he received only a few scratches. According to testimony he had been living in Lawrence since September but did not have money enough to have the car registered and insured here. He pleaded not guilty to charges of operating an uninsured automobile and guilty to operating to endanger and operating an unregistered car.

The first fire of serious consequence that occurred in America took place in Boston on August 8, 1679.

Free Church in Annual Meeting

Nearly 200 attended the annual meeting of the Free Church Wednesday night, the church's 92nd and Rev. Herman C. Johnson's first. Moderator James Gillespie presided.

Gifts were presented to Robert V. Deyermund, retiring after five years as Sunday school superintendent; Mrs. Alexander Sheriff and Miss Annabelle Richardson, retiring after 27 and over 30 years respectively as teachers. George Keith presented the gifts.

The pastor's report showed a net membership gain of four for the year, 32 having been admitted and 28 removed. The membership is now 790.

The following officers were elected: Moderator, James Gillespie; clerk, Geoffrey B. Nicoll; treasurer, Stanley C. Hickok; assistant treasurer, Lewis S. Paine; trustee for four years, Miss Mary

C. Johnson, George Keith, Mrs. George Rowe, Mrs. Edwin Perry, Mrs. David M. May, Miss Annabelle Richardson. Standing committee: Mrs. Stanley C. Hickok, Mrs. Stanley V. Lane, James Edgar.

Delegates to the Andover Association of Congregational churches and ministers: Mrs. William H. Faulkner, Mrs. James Gillespie, Mrs. Lily Harris, Mrs. Mary Mayer, David M. May, Dana W. Clark.

Church School committee: Miss Alice M. Bell, Miss Grace Lake, James Gillespie, Alexander Black, John White, Mrs. Marion Wilkinson.

Reports were presented as follows: treasurer and auditor, Stanley C. Hickok; trustees, David M. May; ways and means, Mrs. Leslie Christison; standing committee, George Keith; Sunday school, Mr. Deyermund and Mr. Keith; music, Dana W. Clark; missionary, Mrs. David M. May; nominating committee, David M. May; Woman's Alliance, Mrs. James Gillespie; Helping Hand, Mrs. James Edgar; Slattery class, Mrs. John Souter; primary department, Miss Martha Thompson.

TO HEAD MERCHANTS

Herbert E. Stiegler of Shawsheen Village has been chosen chairman of the Retail Merchants' council of the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce.

RECEPTION TONIGHT

A reception to Rev. and Mrs. Samuel B. Overstreet will be held tonight at the Baptist Church vestry at eight o'clock.

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A Ballot of Question Marks

There are still a few weeks left before all papers for candidates have to be filed, but already the indications are that the voter is going to be faced with a ballot full of question marks on March 7. There are going to be a large number of candidates for tax collector, for school committee and for board of public works, and some of the other offices will have a few aspirants. To the average voter this long list of names will just be a puzzle.

There's probably no person in Andover who knows every one of the many candidates well enough to tell which are the most suited for the positions they seek. Even the biographical sketches which will be given in the Townsman the week before the election will not be able to explain the many intangible qualities of the candidates. They will tell as usual about the candidates' education, their experience, their interests, etc., but news articles from their very nature cannot say that one candidate would probably blind himself to his department's faults or that another candidate would be very good because he uses common sense in making his decisions. These important abstract qualities you're going to have to find out for yourself in the next month and a half, and until you have found them out, you're not qualified to vote at the annual town election.

There are a lot of things that voters usually take into consideration that have absolutely no bearing on the candidate's qualifications whatsoever. Many people in Andover today have decided to vote for so-and-so for tax collector just because so-and-so happens to be a personal friend of theirs. They forget entirely what qualities the town needs in a tax collector. Instead of voting for

someone because he's a friend, or because he needs a job, or because his great grandfather used to live in Andover, why not choose a candidate on the basis of his business ability, his trustworthiness and his disposition? A tax collector's job is not an easy one and it's not an unimportant one. It involves far more than merely sending out bills and standing in an office taking in payments. The ideal collector, in addition to being honest, must have a certain degree of firmness in his make-up. He must have the ability to determine a tax-delinquent's character so that he will know whether he has to be hard-boiled or genial in collecting accounts. For there are all sorts of debtors, some who habitually forget to pay their bills but will pay with a gentle reminder, and others who habitually forget to pay with every intention of not paying if they can get away with it. The man who can best deal with these two types and with all the various degrees of delinquency between the two extremes is the man we should choose for tax collector.

And the same line of reasoning applies to the other two offices which are being eagerly sought after. The main question that voters should answer when deciding on their choices for school board and for Board of Public Works is this: does this person know enough to use his common sense? For in policy-forming boards such as these common sense is the quality which we need most today. If a candidate has common sense—the ability to think on practical grounds—the chances are that he will make a good office-holder.

You have a month and a half left in which to make up your mind. Try in that time to learn all you can about the intangible qualities of the candidates, for these characteristics are the only really important ones.

Siftings

There are three men named Bill running for Board of Public Works, which puts them at a disadvantage with those people who think the B.P.W. has enough bills.

What we need is a recess for the recession.

The old age pension law, which will cost the town over \$12,000 this year, gives every promise of making taxpayers grow old early.

WEST CHURCH NOTE

An interesting illustrated lecture sponsored by the Woman's Union of the West Church will be given in the vestry, Thursday evening, January 27 at eight o'clock by the Misses Mank who will have for their subject "Foot-loose in England," a talk on their recent visit to England. Tickets may be had from members of the Union and will be sold at the door.

Births

A son to Dr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Halpin of Reading at the Choate hospital, Woburn, Saturday. Mrs. Halpin was Arline Mullin of Shawsheen village.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. William Mosher of Haggetts Pond road at the Lawrence General hospital January 13.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. Brony Majaukas of South Gardner at the Lawrence General hospital January 13. Mr. Majaukas formerly lived in Andover.

MIDWINTER FORMAL

The annual midwinter formal dance given by the musical clubs of Phillips academy for the students of Rogers Hall school of Lowell was held last Saturday evening at the Commons. In the receiving line were Mrs. Claude M. Fuess, Mrs. Carl F. Pfatteicher, Mrs. M. S. Malone, Mrs. Katherine W. McGay, principal of Rogers Hall, Miss Rosalyn Breedon, of the Rogers hall faculty, and R. H. Mayo of the clubs.

New Trustee Had Successful Career

John Wing Prentiss, newly-appointed trustee of Phillips academy, has had unusual success in the financial world since he graduated from Phillips academy with the class of 1894.

Mr. Prentiss went into the banking and brokerage business upon graduating from Harvard in 1898, and is at present a member of the firm of Hornblower and Weeks, 42 Broadway, New York City, in which he has been a partner since 1905. He is a member of numerous corporations, including the Thompson-Starrett Company and the Waldorf Astoria Hotel Company. He is a Mason, and among his clubs are the University, Union League, Harvard, Metropolitan, Union Luncheon Club of Wall Street, of which he is President and Director, Racquet, and Brook. During the war he was Chairman of the Liberty Loan Committee of the New York Stock Exchange, and Chairman of the Red Cross Committee of the same organization. He was appointed by President Wilson a member of the National War Finance Committee of the American Red Cross. He has been President of the Associated Harvard Clubs, and Treasurer of the Harvard Endowment Fund. The last three years he has served as Chairman of the Phillips Academy Alumni Fund organization, and played a prominent part in the completion of the Teachers' Fund campaign last year. Mr. Prentiss spends his summers on his estate in Gloucester, Massachusetts.

Abbot Academy Notes

Miss Kate Friskin, distinguished concert pianist and teacher of the pianoforte at the school, will give her annual piano recital on Saturday night in Davis Hall. The program will be as follows:

Sonata in D major	Scarlatti
Ballet Music	Gluck-Friedman
Toccata in A major	Paradies
Ye Sweet Retreat	arr. by Bauer
Gigue in G major	Mozart
Sonata in E flat, Op. 81 a "Les Adieux"	Beethoven
Adagio-Allegro—The Farewell	
Andante espressivo—Absence	
Vivacissimamente—The Return	
Davidsbundler—18 characteristic pieces, Op. 6	Schumann

Barcarolle	Lindner
Etude in D sharp minor	Scriabin
Evocation	Albeniz
Waltz from "Fledermaus"	Strauss-Dohnanyi

The concert will begin at eight o'clock. Friends of the school are cordially invited to attend. Admission is free.

The weekly vesper service at 7:30 will be conducted by the Reverend Mr. C. Leslie Glenn, of Christ Church, Cambridge. The public is invited.

Town Does Well in Xmas Seal Sale

While Essex County's Seal Sale figures to date are \$316 behind those of last year's, in Andover the sale figures have surpassed those of last year, the Essex County Health association announced this week. However, even here there are still a number of those who received seals who have not yet made returns on them.

In an effort to sput those persons who have neither paid for nor returned their Christmas seals, the association has sent Follow-Up cards and Tracers with the hope of hearing from them in the very near future. Andover citizens are urged to make returns immediately to the Andover chairman, Mrs. Henry S. Hopper. Dr. W. Dacre Walker is on the association's executive committee.

CANDIDATE TO PREACH

Rev. Mr. Butterfield, a candidate for the pastorate of the Union Congregational church, will preach there Sunday. A vote will be taken later.

News of Other Days

What You and Your Neighbors Were Doing in Days Gone By

Fifty Years Ago

Burt Buxton, formerly in the employ of E. Pike, is to start a soap peddler's team in town.

The third class of Punchard enjoyed a sleigh ride and pleasant evening at B. H. Farnum's last night, by invitation of Miss Laura Farnum. S. G. Bean furnished the conveyance and it was a handsome turnout.

The first annual supper, concert and ball, in celebration of the birth of Robert Burns will be given by the Andover Burns Club, in the lower Town Hall Friday evening next, January 27.

George Ripley has been reelected one of the directors of the Railroad Bank in Lowell.

The fine sleighing on Main street last Saturday afternoon brought out many of our fast horses who seemed to enjoy the trotting as much as their drivers. We wish there might be found some place for the sport, where there is less passing and consequently less danger to the public.

David Shaw's house will be ready for him about February 1. Slaughter Bros. of Lawrence are now doing the painting and papering.

Twenty-five Years Ago

The new Colonial theatre on Essex street opened on Wednesday evening for its initial performance. There was a large audience present.

A handsome new tablet for the exterior of the building has been presented to the Free Church by the Helping Hand society. The work of inscribing the tablet was done by Ralph Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Lawson of Maple avenue.

Preparations for the annual Varnum Lincoln spelling match have begun in the public schools.

The play, "The School for Scandal," which is being prepared for presentation by the Barnstormers, has been postponed to the first of April.

Mrs. A. L. Grant of Chestnut street left town Thursday for Bermuda where she will recuperate after her recent severe illness.

At a hearing before the selectmen held on Saturday, January 18, permits were granted to Myerscough and Buchan and W. H. Coleman & Co. to keep and sell gasoline.

Ten Years Ago

The Tyer Rubber company in Andover closed down Monday for a week because of business conditions. The plant which employs 400 will reopen next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dole of Washington avenue have returned to their home after spending a few days in New York City.

Earl Urban of Pine street recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Cole and family have moved from 57 Elm street to their new home on Wolcott avenue.

The members of the Punchard High school faculty will sponsor a Valentine bridge party in the Punchard High school hall on Wednesday, February 15 from 2.30 to 5 p.m. Tea will be served.

Sergeant Napier has resumed his duties as a policeman after being confined to his home with blood poisoning in his hand.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

The wedding of Miss Mildred Chase, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Chase of Lowell street, Peabody, to James Sparks White, son of Mr. and Mrs. William White of 79 Stevens street, was announced Sunday at a reception tendered to relatives and friends of the bride and groom at the home of Mrs. Chase. The wedding took place January 11, with Rev. Gilbert Lovell of Lynn officiating.

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Start Fund for Church Organ

Over \$1272 was reported as the net results of the bazaar held by Christ Church parishioners last December, at the annual business meeting of the parish held Monday evening. Six hundred dollars of this sum is to be the nucleus of a fund for a new organ, and a like amount is to be used for church repairs, while the balance is for miscellaneous expenses. A rising vote of thanks was given Mrs. Walter E. Howe for her energetic carrying on of the responsibility of the bazaar all during last year. Mrs. Howe in turn thanked everyone who had anything to do with the bazaar, by helping collect articles, serving at the different tables at the time of the enterprise and buying the goods for sale.

Reports from the different organizations in the parish were given showing that it was in good financial condition and all societies functioning well.

The business meeting was preceded by a turkey dinner served by members of the Girls Friendly society to about 120 adult members of the church who sat

down to attractively decorated tables and an appetizing menu. Rev. A. C. Morris, the rector, asked the blessing.

Following the feast after the tables had been pushed to one side and the chairs arranged in the center of the hall, a number of favorite hymns were sung and there was a moment of silent prayer.

The business then got under way with Kenneth Minard, the clerk, asking for nominations for moderator, and Rev. Mr. Morris was unanimously chosen.

The following officers were reelected: Senior warden, Irving Southworth; junior warden, Charles S. Cook; clerk, Kenneth S. Minard and treasurer, C. Carleton Kimball. Vestrymen elected were: Dr. W. Dacre Walker, Roy E. Spencer and Major Lawrence Bixby.

The following were elected delegates to the diocesan convention: Irving Southworth, C. Carleton Kimball and Kenneth S. Minard. Alternates: Mrs. Walter E. Howe, Mrs. Charles S. Cook and Mrs. Benjamin Jaques.

The following were elected delegates to the archdeaconry convention: Mrs. George McCollum, Henry E. Miller and Mrs. Ralph T. Berry. Alternates: Richard G. Whipple, Miss Alice Jenkins and Mrs. Henry E. Miller.

The treasurer's report was read by Mr. Kimball.

Reports of the various church organizations were read by the following: Woman's Guild, Mrs. Ralph T. Berry; Junior Woman's Guild, Mrs. John D. Newall; Girls' Friendly society, Miss Thelma Beck; St. Catherine's Guild, Miss Elizabeth Hilton; Church Periodical Club, Mrs. Ralph T. Berry; Altar Guild, Mrs. Anna Paddock; Choir, John D. Newall; Church School, Kenneth S. Minard; Church Bazaar, Ernest Young; United Thank offering, Mrs. Berry.

There were 120 in attendance at the supper which was served by the Girls' Friendly society. Mrs. Benjamin Jaques was general chairman.

The kitchen committee: Misses Helen Smith, Ethel and Elizabeth Hilton, Minnie Valentine, Mrs. Walter Howe, Mrs. Charles S. Warden and Mrs. Leo Shiebler.

The waitresses were: Misses Ruth Saunders, Bertha and Doris Hilton, Antoinette and Everdike Thiras, Mildred Forsythe, Alice Bertram, Betty Carmichael, Annetta Anderson, Thelma Beck, Betty Deyermund, Gertrude Taylor and Mrs. Gardner Shaw.

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N. E. Alumni to Meet in Boston

The annual dinner of the Andover Alumni association of New England will be held Monday evening at seven at the University Club, Boston. Dr. Fuess and Rt. Rev. Henry K. Sherrill, Bishop of Massachusetts, will be the speakers. It is also expected that athletic director Ray A. Shepard and John R. Stevenson, '38, will be present to tell what is going on in the athletic and undergraduate life of the School.

Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey H. Bacon of Washington avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elinor Viola Bacon, to Eric R. Planitzer of Fitchburg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curt L. Planitzer of Lawrence. Miss Bacon attended Punchard high school, the Essex County agricultural school and the Vesper George School of Art. Mr. Planitzer is a graduate of Lawrence high and Springfield college.

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and Irving Newman will swallow many swords in the part of the sword swallower. Benjamin Forbes is playing Mabel, the ferocious lion, who thoroughly terrifies the entire cast of "The Circus."

There are two dance routines in this play and sixteen of the Andover high school girls are being coached for these dances. They are Helen Gahm, Clara

Flaherty, Helen Crockett, Dorothy Campbell, Ruth Cashman, Roberta Cilley, Pauline Peters, Mary Godin, Marjorie Smally, Helen MacMillan, Dorothy Daily, Dorothy Parker, Betty Howe, Mary Curtis, Dorothy Selfredge, Marguarite Richards, Dorothy Brewer and Amelia Bernard.

The members of the Shawsheen Athletic Association are rehearsing the roles of the all-important clowns and their acts consist of the following young men: William Keith, David Robb, Robert Neil,

Warren Gauthiel, Jack Kelly, Harry Duke, Calvin Deyermond, Jack Brennan, Arthur Mannoek and James Rennie.

The ticket committee of the Andover Brass Band state that at the rate tickets for the performance of "The Circus" are selling there is a possibility that a third performance will have to be held. There are a few remaining tickets for the show and these may be purchased at the Andover News Co., Hartigan's Drug Store, Lowe's Drug Store and Simeone's Drug Store.

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Local News Notes

Mrs. Harold Bevington of North Andover has taken an apartment in Caronel Court.

Among the winter visitors enjoying the semi-tropical climate of Brownsville, Texas are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith of Andover.

Thomas Brucato has returned to his work in New York after visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brucato of Highland road.

Miss Eleanor Daniels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Daniels of 78 Chestnut street, is at home recovering from an operation recently performed at a Newton hospital.

BENEFIT PARTY TONIGHT

A benefit bridge and whist party, proceeds of which will go to welfare work, will be held tonight in the town hall by the Legion and auxiliary.

The committee: Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Mrs. William A. Buchan, Mrs. George Cilley, Mrs. John Keith, Mrs. Arthur Jowett, Mrs. Stafford A. Lindsay, Joseph T. Remmes, Harold L. Peters and Thomas P. Dea.

BUYS GUERNSEY COWS

Two purebred Guernsey cows, Roughwood Swallow 389970 and Roughwood Damsel 482253 were sold recently by Ernest B. Dane of Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts to Alfred L. Ripley of Andover, according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, New Hampshire. Mr. Ripley has also purchased from Louis S. Cox of Lawrence two more purebred Guernseys: Randot Sue 2nd 532088 and Randot Glorymixwin 532087.

A half interest in a purebred Guernsey bull, Nashoba Maschcapca Steadfast 253446 was sold recently by H. H. Whitcomb of Littleton, to William H. Bailey of Andover, according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

MADE RHODES SCHOLAR

J. Harlan Cleveland, P.A. '34, a senior at Princeton this year, and a former Andover resident, has been awarded a Rhodes Scholarship award from the Ohio district. He will attend Oxford for three years. His brother, now at Harvard, was recently elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Mrs. Cleveland was well-known during her residence here, being a prominent member of the League of Women Voters.

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West Parish

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lewis and son, Rodney and Mrs. Samuel Lewis of Newburyport were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton H. Northey on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gleeson and son Kent, of Shirley, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peatman on Sunday.

Alfred Bicknell of Portland, Maine, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis, Sunny Ridge Farm, over the week-end.

Miss Lilian Burdakin of Cambridge enjoyed a week-end visit with Mrs. Kenneth Barnard of Shawsheen road.

The R.P.C. Girls' Club will meet with Mrs. John Hall, Dascob road, on Monday evening at eight.

Mrs. Arthur Peatman and son, Glenn, and Mrs. Roger H. Lewis and son, Larry, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Alfred A. Kneath of Melrose.

Miss Mary Sprague of Shawsheen road visited with Miss Mary C. Hunter of West Newton early this week.

Rev. Mrs. Picket of Bedford, pastor of the Unitarian Church in that town will entertain Miss Mary Sprague of Shawsheen road and Barnstable, this coming week.

Mrs. Karl Haartz and son, David, will spend the remainder of the winter in Hingham where Mr. Haartz is employed.

Mrs. Kenneth Barnard and Miss Mary Sprague attended the New Associated Alliance meeting at the Arlington Street Church, Boston, at an all day meeting on Thursday.

GRANGE TO MEET

Andover Grange will meet on Tuesday in Grange Hall. The meeting will be in charge of 1938 officers each one of whom will present one number for the program. The Grange is enjoying the new heater, which was recently installed, the gift of Mrs. B. F. Smith.

CONSERVATION MEETING

The Essex County Forestry committee held a demonstration of care of a farm wood lot at Sunny Ridge Farm Tuesday. Robert B. Parmenter, Extension Forester, and Francis C. Smith, County agent, were in charge. Those attending rode into the woodlot on the big wood-sled drawn by two farm horses—a really enjoyable ride as a good road had been made in and around the fifty acre lot where a great deal of conservation work is being carried on under the watchful eye of the owner and supervision of the extension forester. It proved a most worthwhile meeting as many things necessary in a conservation program were illustrated by things done in this particular woodlot. From this meeting they moved on to Town Forest in Merrimac.

Shawsheen Village

Mrs. Percy Nutton and Edna Nutton and Ruth Manahan heard Yehudi and Hephzibah Menuhin in a recital of Sonatas for Violin and Piano in Symphony Hall last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Bell of Magnolia avenue have been entertaining Mrs. Velma Hines of Los Angeles.

Mrs. R. W. Emerson of Haverhill street has been visiting in Ayer the last two or three weeks.

Hugh McNeil of Haverhill street recently hurt his leg in a coasting accident. It required stitches.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. McCarthy of Fitchburg have moved to 28 Riverina road in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marland.

Barbara Gillen of Carisbrook street spent last week end with Laura Larmondra of Derry, N. H. Laura formerly lived in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. George Neilsen and family of Wellesley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Howe of Arundel street last week-end.

SCOUT EXECUTIVES MEET

At the home of President Joseph P. Gagne, of the North Essex Council Boy Scouts, on Monday evening, Harvey H. Bacon, Scout Executive, presented his annual report on the work done in Scouting.

Mrs. Joseph Gagne, as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harvey H. Bacon, Mrs. Luther P. Harris and Mrs. Harold Rutter, served luncheon.

Heyworth D. Holbrook, deputy regional scout executive made a short address to the group.

Ballardvale

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Moody of Amesbury spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Moody of Andover street.

Mrs. Freeman Abbott of Lovejoy road was tendered a birthday party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hoffman of Lawrence, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sparks, Mrs. James Sparks and son, Kenneth spent Sunday visiting relatives in Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Matthews and family visited Mrs. Arthur White of Ayer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ward and daughter, Dorothy visited relatives in Lynn, Sunday.

Miss Ann Laird of Lowell spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. John Reading of Andover street is recovering from a recent illness.

Miss Hazel Downs of River street led the Intermediate Junior Christian Endeavor Society meeting Sunday afternoon.

A court of review for local scouts will be held in the precinct room Friday night at seven o'clock.

A fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Church was held Thursday evening in the church vestry.

The 4-H Rangers held a meeting Wednesday evening; after the business meeting games were played and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hadfield visited Mr. and Mrs. William McCarthy of Woburn street Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Minot Edwards and family spent Sunday visiting relatives in Melrose.

Mrs. Bessie Dill of Andover street is spending the winter months in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphy, well known residents of Marland street, will leave Sunday for an extended vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Jeremiah Cronin of Center street has recovered from a recent illness.

Henry Perkins of Reading spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mundy of Marland street.

Clifton Russell visited friends in town Sunday.

John Haggerty and John Moran attended the meeting of the debating club of Suffolk Law School, Tuesday.

Miss Evelyn Meuse of Melrose spent the week-end visiting friends in town.

Miss Harriet Kibbee of Dorchester visited relatives here recently.

Miss Eunice O'Donnell visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell of Tewksbury street over the week-end.

Raymond Keating of Marland street recently visited in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fone of Clark road entertained friends recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trow of River street entertained friends over the week-end.

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD

A birthday party was held recently at the home of Mrs. Irving Moss of Andover street in honor of her husband, Irving Moss. Games were played and an enjoyable luncheon served. Those present were: Mrs. Grace Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lumenello, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whittemore, Mrs. Edwin Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Moss.

MARLAND STREET RESTRICTED

Marland street has been reserved for the children of this town for coasting and a barricade placed at the entrance to warn autoists, who reside or those using the street to be on guard for coasters.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

Members of Minot Edwards' Sunday School class attended a party in their honor at Mr. Edwards' home on Andover street, Wednesday evening. Games were played and refreshments served.

Parents' Night Held at Village School

Parents' Night under the auspices of Andover Boy Scouts, Troop 71, was held last Friday evening in the Shawsheen school with Harvey H. Bacon, Scout Executive, in charge.

At the Candle Light Investiture ceremony, the Scouts gave the oath and the 12 Scout Laws. Dr. Nathaniel Stowers, vice president of the North Essex Council read "The Declaration of Principles of Scouting." Then Mr. Bacon gave the charter to the troop, and Arthur Jowett, chairman of the committee received it for the committees.

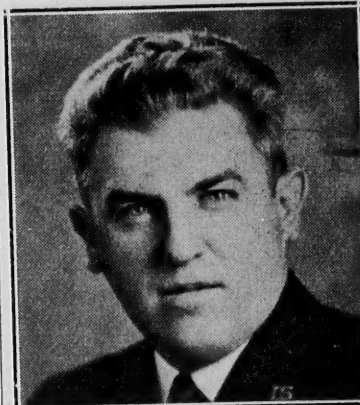
F. Tyler Carlton, District Commissioner of Andover read the National By-Laws of scouting. William Page, Assistant District Commissioner read "The Responsibility of a Scout Master." Mr. Bacon presented Arthur Mullen, Scout Master of the Shawsheen Troop, and his assistant, Lloyd Marcus with their registrations.

The following scouts received their second class pins: William J. Burke, Charles Flanagan, Jr., John W. Neil, Gerard M. Twomey, Robert Wood, John R. Ashburn, and Robert Emmons, and they also received their registrations from Joseph T. Gagne, president of the North Essex Council with the following Scouts: Edward Cherowbrier, Carl W. Erler, George Monan, Donald MacLellan, Lawrence DeSalvo, Charles L. Ware, Jr., Sam Waugh, Louis Anderson, Stafford A. Lindsay, Jr. Those absent were Albert Chadwick and Donald King.

The Ten Year Program award was given by Mr. Bacon to Dr. Stowers, who

in turn presented it to Scout Master Mullen. This award is given to a troop that re-registers 80 percent of its old boys and registers 20 percent new boys.

Motion pictures of Camp Onway, Raymond, N. H. were shown by Philip Robbins of the Executive Committee.



Jeremiah Twomey

Then the Scouts demonstrated their ability in knot tying, making a fire by friction, and by steel, signalling and first aid.

Minot Edwards assisted Scout Master Mullen in judging the first aid demonstration.

Refreshments were served by the Scouts.

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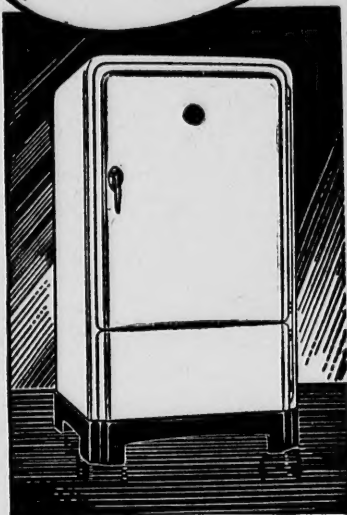
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Junior High School Notes

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

The skiing club which will hold its meets on Friday afternoons will be in charge of Kirsten Haakonsen of Punchard High School. There will be one class for beginners and one for advanced students. For the time being one group will meet at Prospect Hill. It is hoped to have another group which will meet nearer the school.

The results for the basketball teams on Tuesday were as follows: Grade 7, Room 2-52, Room D. 6; Grade 8, Room 11-2, Room 3-12; Grade 9, Room 5-2, Room 6-0.—**BETTY SAUNDERS**

4-H ASSEMBLY HELD

Last Monday a very interesting 4-H Club Assembly was enjoyed by all the clubs in the Andover Junior High school. Movies were shown by Mr. Shultz.

The movies were on work done in 4-H club; one film was on agriculture and gardening while another was on cooking, canning, and handycraft. These films also brought out the facts that young children as well as older ones and grownups belong to these clubs and find pleasure in them.—**MARY RING**

TALKS ON BANKS

Fred Gould of the Andover National Bank gave a helpful talk to the ninth grade commercial students on Wednesday. He spoke of interesting facts about clearing houses, counterfeit, money and the duties of bank officials.

STUDENT GOVT. NOMINEES

The new Student Council made up of the recently elected presidents and vice presidents of home rooms met for the first time on Wednesday. The principal business concerned nominations for officers of the school. These candidates will plan their campaigns and elections will come in about two weeks.

The nominations were as follows: President: Glenna Markert and Warren Lewis; vice president, Gordon Elliot and David Markert; secretary, James Collins and Benjamin Cole; treasurer, Mary C. O'Connell and Charles Sawyer.—**JOHN SWEENEY**

CLUB ENJOYS TALK

The very helpful talk given last week by Mrs. Autumn Ryan, mother of Sheila and Leo, gave Press Club members a very practical idea of the various kinds of work done on a newspaper. She said that the aim of any good paper was to print only that news which was accurate and interesting. Weather news is the easiest and most commonly written kind, but interviews require the greatest skill.

ELECT OFFICERS

The elections of home room officers took place last Friday.

The results follow, with choices for president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer in that order.

Ninth Grade—Room 4: B. Cole, J. Carter, H. Broughton, W. Bolton. Room 5: G. Elliot, R. Lord, C. Forsythe, T. Fairweather. Room 6: K. Lewis, C. Kearn, P. Guild, L. Lovely. Room 7: G. Markert, R. Manning, P. Proctor, L. Nollet. Room 9: R. Costello, F. Rockwell, C. Stowers, C. Sawyer.

Eighth Grade—Room 11: C. Swenson, B. Robjant, R. Stevens, V. Stevens. Room 12: W. Lewis, E. Innes, N. Goff, L. Henderson. Room 13: D. Markert, F. Collizzi, M. O'Connell, J. Patterson. Room 8: G. Draper, J. Collins, E. Dwyer, H. Downs.

Seventh Grade—Room 1: G. Chase, P. Arnold, J. Dalrymple, T. Ashburn. Room 2: J. Gregory, A. Harris, D. Hill, C. Flanagan. Room 3: B. Lindsay, J. Gilfoy, D. Look, R. Moody. M.D.: D. Walen, J. Lord, G. Seldon, R. Weeks.

Five in High Honor Group

Five high school students made the high honor roll at Punchard for the latest marking period, Principal Nathan C. Hamblin announced on Tuesday. They were Virginia Batcheller and William Hannan, seniors; Ethel Cherowbrier, junior; and Dorothy Christie and Joanne O'Riordan sophomores. On the general honor roll there were 15 seniors, 15 juniors and 26 sophomores.

The list follows:

Seniors—Dorothy Babb, *Virginia Batcheller, Robert Bisset, Marjorie Davis, Harold Gordon, *William Hannan, Helen Kimball, Ralph Lakin, Alfred Miller, Edith Ross, Angelina Serio, Valerie Simmers, Harold Walker, Priscilla Willard, Philip Wormwood.

Juniors—Marion Albers, Margaret Bogosian, Barbara Brown, *Ethel Cherowbrier, Mary Deyermund, Gladys Downs, Frederick Eastman, Solveig Haakonsen, Louise Higgins, Ruth Holt, Marilyn Lewis, Dorothy Randlett, Charles Shattuck, Evelyn Smith, Sallie Smith.

Sophomores—Philip Beck, Kathryn Bixby, Prudence Cavallaro, *Dorothy Christie, Ruth Cowen, Eleanor Doherty, Pauline Defresne, Gloria Field, Barbara Gahm, Margaret Gordon, Eleanor Gorrie, Alda Grieco, Ernest Hall, Judith Hardy, Elinor Houston, Catherine Jowett, Joseph Lawrence, Vasco Loosigian, Jacqueline McCarthy, Joseph McCarthy, *Joanne O'Riordan, Augustin Rapisardi, Ursula Schultz, Hubert Stuck, Helen Walsh, George White.

*High honors.

Of the honor roll four were members of last fall's undefeated football team: backfield men Bisset, Walker and Lakin, and center, Miller.

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BAPTIST CHURCH
School with class of young men and women. Two vested chorists. Street will preach. "Changed Life." 7:00. Boy Scouts. Meetings in the home.

COCHRAN
Rev. Donald B. Cension, New York.

CHRIST E
8:00 a.m., Holy Communion. 11:00, morning.

Frederick

Funeral services for H. Morrison were held at the home of Mrs. J. O. Morrison on Friday afternoon. The bereaved family consists of Mrs. Morrison, Harry Sella, Hill, Alexander.

Miss Agn

Funeral services for Miss Agn were held at the home of her mother, Rev. Carl church. The bereaved family consists of Mrs. Lawrence, Richard S.

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Next Week's Church Calendar

WEST CHURCH—Sunday, 10.30 a.m. Morning worship with music by the senior choir and vocal trio. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Donald H. Savage: "The Joyousness of Jesus"; 12.00 Church school in the vestry. Thursday, 8.00 p.m. Illustrated lecture, "Foot Loose in England," given in the vestry by the Misses Helen and Edith Mank, under the auspices of the Woman's Union.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday, 9.30 Church School with classes for all ages. Special groups for young men and women; 10.45 a.m. Church worship. Two vested choirs will sing, and Rev. Samuel Overstreet will preach on the theme: "The Miracle of a Changed Life." 6.30 Alpha Club. Friday, 4.00 Junior choir rehearsal and 6.00 Senior choir rehearsal; 7.00 Boy Scouts. Thursday, 2.30 Women's Union meets in the home of Mrs. P. C. Wilson, 69 Park street.

COCHRAN CHURCH—Sunday, 11.00 a.m., Rev. Donald B. Aldrich, D.D., Church of the Ascension, New York City.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Sunday, 8.00 a.m., Holy Communion; 9.30 Church School; 11.00, morning worship.

FREE CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Tonight, 6.30 Intermediate Christian Endeavor skating party. Sunday, 9.30 Sunday School; 10.45 Morning worship with music by the junior and senior choirs and sermon by the minister on "Trust Your Neighbor"; 6.15 Christian Endeavor. Thursday, 2.30 Women's Alliance; 6.00 Junior Choir rehearsal; 7.30 Senior Choir rehearsal.

NORTH PARISH CHURCH—The Church School meets at 9.30 a.m., with classes for all ages. Service at 10.30 a.m., with special music by choir and soloists and sermon on the subject: "The Language of the Soul."

SOUTH CHURCH—Sunday, 9.45 Church School and The Little Church; 10.45 Morning worship and sermon; 10.45 Church Kindergarten; 7.30 Fortnightly Group at 39 Morton Street. Monday, 7.30 Prudential Committee. Tuesday, 7.00 Pack 1, Andover Cubs. Thursday, 2.00 Sewing Department, Women's Union; 4.00 Junior Choir; 7.00 Church Choir; 8.00 Alpha Phi Chi Sorority. Friday, 7.00 Troop 3, Boy Scouts.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH—Sunday masses at 6.30, 8.15, 9.45, 11.30.

Obituaries

Frederick H. Morrison

Funeral services for the late Frederick H. Morrison who died last week Tuesday were held at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Morrison, 68 Elm street on Friday afternoon. Rev. Frederick B. Noss conducted the services, burial following in West Parish cemetery. Former business and Masonic friends attended the services.

The bearers: Edmond Hammond, Selectman Roy E. Hardy, David Coutts, Harry Sellers, Carl Elander, W. Rodney Hill, Alexander Black and Harold Leitch.

Miss Agnes Stein

Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon for Miss Agnes Stein, at the home of her parents on Andover street by Rev. Carl L. Crain of the Methodist church. Miss Stein, assistant at the town infirmary, passed away at the Lawrence General hospital on last Thursday.

The bearers: Gordon Hall, Stillman Lawrence, Charles Murray, James Nicoll, Richard Sherry and William Thomson.

Mrs. Thomas E. Reed

Mrs. Mary F. Reed, wife of Thomas E. Reed, died at her home on Woburn street on Monday morning, pneumonia being the cause of her death. She was 41 years of age, and had lived in the Vale for the past four years.

In addition to her husband, she leaves her mother, a resident of Arlington. The body was removed to the home of her mother, and funeral services were held from there yesterday, with burial following in Mt. Pleasant cemetery.

Mrs. James Sharpe

Mrs. Annie (Milne) (Warden) Sharpe, former resident of this town, passed away at her home in Dorchester on Sunday morning. She was born in Scotland 69 years ago and came to Andover at about the age of 20. She left Andover about 25 years ago.

She leaves besides her husband a son, David Warden.

Frank W. Wakefield

Frank W. Wakefield, one of the most prominent figures in the bobbin manufacturing industry in the East, passed away early Monday morning following a heart attack which came a week after he had undergone an appendectomy at the Lawrence General hospital. He was general manager of the U.S. Bobbin and Shuttle company in Lawrence, and resided at the Aberdeen apartments in Shawsheen Village.

Mr. Wakefield was born in Charlton 57 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O. Wakefield who still reside there. Prior

to coming to Lawrence 30 years ago, he served as cost accountant with Gardner and Westfield firms. His first position with the U.S. Bobbin and Shuttle was as cost accountant, and he rose through several promotions to the head of the firm.

Besides his parents, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Jesse F. Sheridan of Littleton; a brother, Ralph E. of Goffstown, N. H.; and a stepson, Roger Woodbury of this town.

The funeral services were held at the South church yesterday by Rev. Frederick B. Noss and Rev. Alan Lorimer of the Franklin Street Congregational church of Manchester, N. H. of which Mr. Wakefield was a member. Burial was in Charlton.

Mrs. Susan Connolly

Mrs. Susan Connolly of 4 Brechin terrace passed away Saturday morning after a three years' illness. Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., conducted a high mass of requiem on Monday morning in St. Augustine's church, and burial followed in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Connolly was born in Ireland 78 years ago, and had lived in Andover ever since she came to this country 30 years ago.

Surviving are three sons, Thomas, Frank and Joseph Connolly; three daughters, Annie, Alice and Elizabeth; and a brother, John McGuigan of Michigan.

The bearers were: Joseph, Francis, George and Edmond Connolly, Charles Gray and Alfred White, all grandsons.

John W. Richardson

John W. Richardson, well-known building contractor for many years, passed away on Saturday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Davis Perry, in Pittsfield, Maine, where he had been staying for about a year. He had remained active in building work here until his retirement prior to moving to Maine last year. Had he lived until Sunday he would have been 75 years of age.

Besides Mrs. Perry he leaves two brothers, Ammon and Charles; and a sister, Annabelle of this town.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the Lundgren funeral home by Rev. Herman C. Johnson of the Free church. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

The bearers were: William B. Cheever, Herbert F. Chase, Charles F. Emerson and Lewis W. Muise.

Mrs. Mary B. Grout

Mrs. Mary B. Grout, 67, of Main street, passed away on Sunday at the Baker Memorial hospital, Boston, after an operation. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the late home by Rev. Albert C. Morris of Christ church

and Rev. Charles W. Henry of Chelmsford. Burial was in Mt. Auburn cemetery, Cambridge.

She leaves two sons, John and Walter, and two grandchildren, Madeline and Gilbert Grout, all of this town. She was the widow of Frank Grout.

The bearers were Edward Lawson, Charles Bowman, Arthur Cole, and Calvin Kennard.

Frances Melville Thomas

Frances Melville Thomas, widow of Henry B. Thomas, of Boston, died at the Phillips House, Boston, on January 15th. She is survived by four daughters, one of whom is Mrs. E. Barton Chapin of Andover.

PUNCHARD 26—P.A. JAYVEES 17

The Punchard Varsity Five won their fifth straight game when they defeated the Phillips Academy "Jay Vees" 26 to 17 Wednesday afternoon. The Punchard second string quintet was beaten by the Jay Vee seconds, 20 to 12, in a short preliminary game.

The scorers: Baskets: Chase 2, Walker 1, MacLaughlin 4, White 1, Chaffey 1, Bisset 2, Gans 1, Gordon 1, Forsythe 1, Hart 1. Fouls: Castle 1, MacLaughlin 1, Gordon 1, Bisset 1, Gans 2, Forsythe 1, Walker 5, Dickins 1.

The summary of the Punchard and Jay Vees seconds game: The scorers: Baskets: Reige 3, Deyermund 1, Towne 1, Goodkine 1, Yancy 1, Bishop 1, Kabanian 1, Schnell 1, Boucher 1, Cooper 1. Fouls: Goodkine 4, Deyermund 2, Di-Snell 1, Goslin 1.

This evening the Punchard lads will journey to Tewksbury to meet the boys from that section.

PUNCHARD 19—JOHNSON 12

Punchard's Varsity five won their fourth straight last Monday afternoon in the Memorial Gym, nosing out Johnson high 19 to 12. The scores: Goals from floor: Gordon 2, MacLaughlin 3, White 3, Walker 1, Foster 3, Donnelly 1, Coram 1. Goals from fouls: Gordon 2, Walker 3, Evangelos 1, Miller 1. Referee: Macbeth.

The Punchard second team took the measure of their Johnson foes by the count of 12 to 11. Deyermund and Towne

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were outstanding for the home club and Banker and Hayes for Johnson. The scorers: Goals from floors: Bishop 1, Lennane 1, Towne 1, Deyermund 2, Banker 2, Greenwood 2, Hayes 2, Cunningham 1. Goals from fouls: Brennan 2, Miller 3.

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Sports Schedule

TOMORROW

Basketball, Northeastern fresh at Phillips
Swimming, Dartmouth fresh at Phillips
Wrestling, North Quincy H.S. at Phillips
Hockey, Phillips at St. Mark's
Track, Bridgton at Phillips
Skiing, Tilton at Phillips

WEDNESDAY

Basketball, Lawrence academy at Phillips
Track, Lawrence high at Phillips

SKIING PARTY

A group of Junior High pupils enjoyed an evening tobogganing at Six Hole, Andover Country Club Tuesday evening. Chaperoned by Miss Gates and Miss Oliver the following took part in the fun: Helen Gahm, Marjorie Howes, Janet Gillen, Ann Scanlon, Claire Flaherty, Pauline MacMackin, Jack Pidgeon, Wright Bolton, Stephen Morse, Fred Goebel, David Markert and Warren Lewis. Hot dogs and other seasonable refreshments were enjoyed by the fire and the evening was voted a huge success.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Box 25 was sounded at about 7.30 yesterday morning for a chimney fire at F. H. Foster's on Central street.

B.W.V. NOTICE

The entertainment committee of the British War Veterans will meet tonight at the home of Alexander Auchterlonie on Essex street.

EFFICIENT LEADER

In the article on the fiftieth anniversary of the Courteous Circle of the South church submitted for publication in the Townsman two weeks ago, the name of Mrs. Frank L. Brigham was inadvertently omitted in the list of leaders of the Circle. Mrs. Brigham was one of the most efficient leaders of the group in its fifty years of active existence.

A frown demands a greater expenditure of energy than a smile, fifty muscles being brought into action when frowning, while only thirteen are required for a smile.



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• ROAST

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• ROAST

• VIRGINIA HAM
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Vesper Services at Academy Chapel

A very excellent series of vesper services is planned for the winter term at Cochran church, Phillips academy. It opened January 9 with a well-attended performance of Mendelssohn's Oratorio of St. Paul by the Federal Music Project Chorus and orchestra of Boston, and it continued on last Sunday with a Madrigal group. On March 6 it will end with a festival of hymn singing in which the choirs and congregations of many of the churches in this town will participate. Programs hereafter will start at 4:45.

The remainder of the schedule follows:
January 23—The choirs of Abbot and Phillips Academies.

January 30—The Forum String Quartet.*

February 6—E. Power Biggs, Organist of the Harvard Church, Brookline, Mass.

February 13—The American Folk Singers.*

February 20—The Andover Male Choir.

February 27—The Choirs of the Brooks School and Phillips Academy.

March 6—A Festival of Hymn Singing. *A Federal Music Project Group.

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LOST—Black Scottie dog near Salem St. Finder return to E. D. Walen, 68 Salem Street. Reward.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Kate Adams Swift late of Andover in said County, deceased.

The executors of the will of said deceased, have presented to said Court for allowance their first and final account and have requested that the items thereof be finally determined and adjudicated.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Newburyport before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-fourth day of January 1938, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
(7-14-21)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Ready late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Howell F. Shepard of Andover in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirty-first day of January 1938, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this tenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register.
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(14-21-28)

Dad criticized the sermon. Mother thought the organist made a lot of mistakes. Sister didn't like the choir's singing. But they all shut up when little Billy chipped in with the remark: "I think it was a darn good show for a nickel."

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Perley A. Stone late of Andover in said County, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that Henry L. Stone of Haverhill in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of February, 1938, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(21-28-4)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
PROBATE COURT

ESSEX, ss.

To all persons interested in the trust estate under the will of Jacob W. Barnard late of Andover in said County, deceased, for the benefit of Eliza J. Barnard and others.

The trustees of said estate have presented to said Court for allowance their fourth account and have requested that the items thereof be finally determined and adjudicated.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the seventh day of February 1938, the return day of this citation.

Witness, Harry R. Dow, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twelfth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

WILLIAM F. SHANAHAN, Register
(21-28-4)

A grindstone that has no grit in it, how long would it take to make an axe sharp? And affairs that have no punch in them, how long would they take to make a man?—H. W. Beecher

LEGAL NOTICES



Town of Andover

Bids will be received at the office of the Tree and Moth departments, rear 42 Park street until January 28th at 4.30 p.m. on two tires for the tree department and two tires for the moth department. For specifications see G. R. Abbott. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Signed GEORGE R. ABBOTT,
Tree Warden and Moth Superintendent

Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended: that James S. Heifetz, doing business known as Capitol Lunch, has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: 7 Essex Street, dining car with cellar for storage. Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
January 21, 1938

Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended: that John A. Welch, doing business as Jack's Place, has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: 14 Park Street, ground floor, one room, cellar for storage. Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
January 21, 1938

Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended: that Douglas W. Hutcheson, doing business known as Doug's Grille, has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: 11-B Main Street, rear door—leading to Central Street, one floor—up stairs, one room. Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
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Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended that Alexander Wallace, doing business as "Lakeside," has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: Lowell Street, two rooms. Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
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Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended: that James Joseph Sullivan and Augustine W. Winters, doing business as Old Fashioned Grill, have applied

LEGAL NOTICES

for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: 197 North Main Street, entrance North Main Street, one story building, one large room and one kitchen, cellar for storage.

Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
January 21, 1938

Town of Andover
NOTICE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 138 of the General Laws as amended that Fred W. Perkins, doing business as Fred's Lunch, has applied for a license to sell alcoholic beverages of the following kinds:

Restaurant, all alcoholic beverages, on the following described premises: 19 Essex Street, street floor, one room.

Action thereon will be taken January 31, 1938.

By order of the Selectmen.
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
January 21, 1938

Town of Andover
NOTICE

Harry C. Bryant of South Main Street, Andover, having petitioned the Board of Selectmen for a license to keep and store gasoline in the amount of 2000 gallons in an underground tank on the land of Edna Steindl, located on said South Main Street, a public hearing on said petition will be held January 31, 1938 at 7:30 P.M. o'clock at the Town House, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws relating thereto.

By order of the Board of Selectmen.
GEORGE H. WINSLOW, Clerk
Date of issue
January 21, 1938

A woman went to see a doctor. "Doctor," she exclaimed, bouncing into the room, "I want you to say frankly what's wrong with me."

He surveyed her from head to foot in his best professional manner.

"Madam," he said at length, "I've just three things to tell you. First, your weight wants reducing by nearly 50 pounds. Secondly, your beauty would be improved by freer use of soap and water. And, thirdly, I'm an artist; the doctor lives on the next floor."

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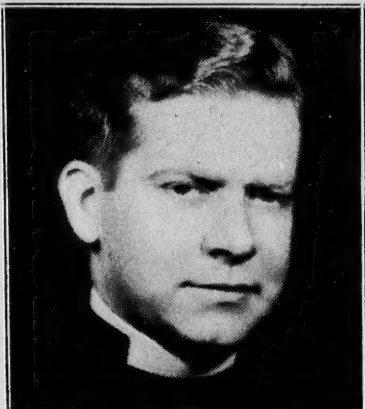
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Ministers Preach Against Gambling

Two local clergymen, Rev. Frederick B. Noss of the South Church and Rev. Albert C. Morris of Christ Church, spoke against the current tendency toward gambling of all kinds in their sermons last Sunday morning. At last week's meeting of the Andover Ministers' association



Rev. Albert C. Morris

there was an informal talk on horse-race betting, buying chances, etc. Rev. Mr. Morris has already refused to allow the organizations of his church to hold card parties for prizes.

Rev. Mr. Noss also urged that the newsstands be rid of the many objectionable indecent magazines which they now carry. He stated that public school and academy students spend a great deal of time reading this trash. In Boston the school committee, police department and other official and civic groups have been

Insurance President in 25th Anniversary

The annual meetings of the Merrimack and Cambridge Mutual Fire Insurance Companies were held at the Home Office Building, Shawsheen Village, on Monday.

President Flagg presided and reported that both companies had enjoyed a substantial increase in business during 1937, the premiums written being larger than in any previous year in the companies' history. The number of policyholders are now in excess of 125,000 and are serviced by more than 1300 agents in 18 states.

Mr. Flagg received many felicitations on his twenty-fifth anniversary as President of the Merrimack Mutual and J.J.E. Rothery of Boston, a director, presented the following minute on behalf of the Board of Directors:

"Twenty-five years ago the death of Mr. Smart left the Merrimack Mutual without a president. The Directors met to choose his successor and unanimously voted that Mr. Flagg, who had served the Company so ably and faithfully as its secretary since 1901, should be the new president.

"It would take a long story to tell all he has done for the company. His stewardship marked the transition of the Merrimack from a local institution to one of national importance. His sound judg-

ment and courageous leadership has guided the company successfully through the conflagrations, wars, and depressions of the past quarter century until now the Merrimack stands in the foremost ranks among contemporary New England agency mutual companies.

"Mr. Flagg has also for many years had an important role in the affairs of the Mutual Fire Insurance Association of New England, the Federation of Mutual Fire Insurance Companies and the National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies. He has been honored by election to the presidency of all these organizations.

"The Directors hereby tender their congratulations to Mr. Flagg on his twenty-fifth anniversary as president of the Merrimack and acknowledge by this minute the pleasure and inspiration of their association with him on the Board of Directors."

In his response, President Flagg recalled many interesting incidents in his early years with the company. He also spoke of the loyalty of the people of Andover to the Merrimack Mutual which was founded by a group of Andover citizens in the Locke Tavern on Elm Street in 1828.

waging a campaign to rid the city of this form of reading matter.

ENJOY SLEIGH RIDE

A sleigh ride was enjoyed by 28 members of the Margaret Slattery class of the Free church Monday evening. The group swung around through North Andover, and had refreshments on the return trip.

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Over 40 Names to Go on Ballot

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has been a director at the Lawrence Y.W.C.A.

There were three more candidates for the vacancy on the Board of Public Works: William F. Barron, Arthur E. Steinert and Leonard Ronan. Previous candidates were Sidney P. White, William Crowley, Jr., William McCoubrie, and George M. Squires.

Franklin B. Collins, former frequent candidate for are warden, has stepped out of the tree race this year and will run against present member George G. Brown and his namesake Benjamin Brown for board of health.

Moderator (1 year)

*Frederick Butler, Lowell street

Town Treasurer (1 year)

*Thaxter Eaton, 49 Abbot street

Selectman (3 years)

*J. Everett Collins, 35 Summer street

Assessor (3 years)

*J. Everett Collins, 35 Summer street

School Committee (3 years, elect 3)

Mrs. Katherine A. Baldwin, Hidden Field

Dr. Harry C. East, 78 Main street

*Mary E. C. Geagan, River street

Stafford A. Lindsay, Argyle street.

Winthrop R. Newman, Elm street

*Frederick C. Smith, 23 Canterbury street

School Committee (1 year, elect 1)

Paul A. L'Antigua, 50 High street

Julie Cross Musk, 29 High street

James W. O'Donnell, Tewksbury street

Board of Health (3 years)

Benjamin Brown, 63 Elm street

*George G. Brown, Andover street

Franklin B. Collins, 28 Salem street.

Tax Collector (1 year)

George E. Boddy, 66 Maple avenue

James P. Christie, 4 Arundel street

David L. Coutts, 26 Elm street

Philip L. Hardy, 113 Chestnut street

Percy R. Holt, 6 Morton street

Francis T. Kelly, 7 Bartlet street

William Kyle, 75 Elm street

Carl N. Lindsay, 59 Salem street

Roland L. Luce, 19 Summer street

Francis P. Markey, 48 Chestnut street

John F. Moriarty, 24 Haverhill street

Roy A. Russell, 2 Temple Place

J. Lewis Smith, 5 York street

Board of Public Works (3 years)

William F. Barron, Haggetts Pond road

William C. Crowley, Jr., 6 Chapman ave.

William McCoubrie, 38 Washington avenue.

Leonard Ronan, Elm court

George M. Squires, River road

Arthur Steinert, Union street

Sidney P. White, Argilla road

Library Trustee (7 years)

*Burton S. Flagg, 22 School street

Planning Board (5 years)

*Bernard L. McDonald, 8 Chestnut street

Constable (1 year, elect 3)

*George A. Dane, Andover street

*J. Lewis Smith, 5 York street

*George N. Sparks, River street

Tree Warden (1 year)

*George R. Abbott, Upland road

Ralph T. Berry, Pine street

Thomas F. Morrissey, Temple place

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SUNDAY—MONDAY, JANUARY 23-24

DANGER LOVE AT WORK—Ann Sothern and Jack Haley	Sun. 2:45; 6:00; 9:15 Mon. 4:10; 9:25
FIRST LADY—Kay Francis and Preston Foster	Sun. 4:05; 7:20 Mon. 2:25; 7:40

TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY—THURSDAY, January 25-26-27

DOUBLE WEDDING—Myrna Loy and William Powell	4:00; 9:15
ANGEL—Marlene Dietrich	2:35; 7:50

FRIDAY—SATURDAY—January 28-29

SUBMARINE D-1—Pat O'Brien and George Brent	Fri. 3:40; 8:50 Sat. 2:35; 5:45; 8:55
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If it hadn't be village fire of last Andover would h an unusually low stated last night annual report to t shows a property this \$33,854.15 loss from the May \$1300 damage to same blaze, the cl loss of only \$6076 Shawsheen fire. accounts for abou The 1936 loss was

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To the Board of S of Andover Dear Sir:

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